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Companies in the target population and selected for the sample, by industry: 2021

(Number of companies)

Industry	NAICS code	Companies in target population <sup>a</sup>	All companies	Noncertainties	Certainties
All industries	11, 21–23, 31–33, 42–81, 00	5,410,000	300,000	254,000	46,500
Manufacturing industries	31-33	227,000	49,000	36,500	12,500
Food	311	21,500	4,600	3,400	1,200
Beverage and tobacco products	312	9,800	2,700	2,100	500
Textile, apparel, and leather products	313-16	11,500	2,600	2,000	600
Wood products	321	11,000	2,400	1,900	500
Paper	322	2,100	550	200	300
Printing and related support activities	323	20,500	3,800	3,100	700
Petroleum and coal products	324	650	150	60	100
Chemicals	325	9,100	3,300	2,100	1,100
Pesticide, fertilizer, and other agricultural chemical	3253	650	200	150	60
Pharmaceuticals and medicines	3254	2,000	1,000	650	350
Soap, cleaning compound, and toilet preparation	3256	1,900	650	450	200
Other chemicals	other 325	4,500	1,400	850	550
Plastic and rubber products	326	8,000	2,200	1,500	650
Nonmetallic mineral products	327	8,200	2,200	1,700	550
Primary metals	331	2,800	1,000	700	350
Fabricated metal products	332	46,000	5,500	4,400	1,100
Machinery	333	18,000	3,300	2,400	900
Computer and electronic products	334	9,300	3,600	2,300	1,300
Communications equipment	3342	1,000	450	250	200
Semiconductor and other electronic components	3344	2,900	1,100	750	350
Navigational, measuring, and control instruments	3345	3,900	1,500	900	600
Other computer and electronic products	other 334	1,500	600	400	200
Electrical equipment, appliances, and components	335	4,100	1,400	950	450
Transportation equipment	336	8,300	2,700	1,800	950
Automobiles, bodies, trailers, and parts	3361-63	5,100	1,500	950	550
Aerospace products and parts	3364	1,200	650	450	200
Other transportation	other 336	2,000	600	450	150
Furniture and related products	337	13,000	2,700	2,200	550
Miscellaneous manufacturing	339	21,000	4,100	3,300	800
Medical equipment and supplies	3391	7,800	1,600	1,200	400
Other miscellaneous manufacturing	3399	13,500	2,500	2,100	400
Nonmanufacturing industries	11, 21–23, 42–81	5,165,000	246,000	213,000	33,000
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	11	22,500	800	700	90
Mining, extraction, and support activities	21	16,000	2,700	2,100	600

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Utilities	22	3,500	1,300	950	400
Construction	23	704,000	23,000	21,500	1,600
Wholesale trade	42	264,000	17,500	14,000	3,300
Retail trade	44-45	593,000	22,000	19,500	2,300
Transportation and warehousing	48-49	189,000	13,500	11,500	2,200
Information	51	74,500	16,000	11,500	4,400
Publishing	511	19,500	5,100	3,500	1,500
Newspaper, periodical, book, and directory publishers	5111	9,100	2,200	1,800	350
Software publishers	5112	10,500	2,800	1,700	1,200
Telecommunications	517	11,000	2,900	2,200	700
Data processing, hosting, and related services	518	9,200	2,800	1,900	900
Other information	other 51	34,500	5,300	4,100	1,200
Finance and insurance	52	226,000	8,200	6,900	1,300
Real estate and rental and leasing	53	320,000	11,000	10,500	450
Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets (except copyrighted works)	533	2,100	90	70	20
Other real estate and rental and leasing	other 53	318,000	11,000	10,500	400
Professional, scientific, and technical services	54	789,000	57,500	48,000	9,400
Legal services	5411	163,000	7,700	6,900	850
Accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and payroll services	5412	112,000	5,200	4,800	400
Architectural, engineering, and related services	5413	89,000	10,500	8,400	2,200
Specialized design services	5414	31,500	1,400	1,400	50
Computer and electronic products	5415	114,000	9,700	7,700	2,000
Management, scientific, and technical consulting services	5416	170,000	8,500	7,400	1,100
Scientific research and development services	5417	13,000	5,800	4,200	1,600
Advertising, public relations, and related services	5418	31,500	5,400	4,500	950
Other professional, scientific, and technical services	5419	63,500	3,000	2,700	300
Management of companies and enterprises	55	4,000	150	150	30
Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services	56	330,000	13,000	11,000	2,400
Educational services	61	65,500	2,400	2,200	200
Health care and social assistance	62	577,000	21,500	19,500	2,100
Health care services	621-23	491,000	18,000	16,500	1,800
Social assistance	624	84,000	3,300	3,000	250
Arts, entertainment, and recreation	71	105,000	3,700	3,300	350
Accommodation and food services	72	504,000	19,500	17,500	1,900
Other services	81	379,000	12,500	12,500	200
Unclassified	00	18,000	4,900	4,400	400

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NAICS = 2017 North American Industry Classification System.

<sup>a</sup> Estimates of the number of companies in the target population are based on the original sampling frame that was created to select the 2021 Annual Business Survey.

## Note(s)

Certainties were companies with a probability of selection of one because they had previously reported R&D costs, 500 or more employees, or high payroll or receipts defined by stratum specific cutoffs. Noncertainties are companies with a probability of selection of less than 1.

## Source(s):

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